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For: Packaging With Water Soluble  
Barrier Layer

**REPLY AND AMENDMENT**

MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 2, 2009, Applicant amends the Application as follows.